

CLAIMS

What is claimed is:

1. A method of custom-manufacturing an article of footwear comprising, in combination, the following steps:

5 providing a customer with a choice of different articles of footwear to be custom-manufactured;

providing the customer with an option to select a first size for one of a left and right article of footwear; and

providing the customer an option to select a second size for the other of the left and
10 right article of footwear.

2. The method of custom-manufacturing an article of footwear of claim 1, further including the step of providing the customer with a choice of colors for selected portions of the footwear.

15 3. A method of custom-manufacturing footwear, comprising:

providing a customer with a choice of different types of footwear to be custom-manufactured;

registering a selection by the customer of one of the types of footwear for custom
20 manufacturing;

obtaining specifications from the customer for custom-manufacturing the selected piece of footwear including a first size for one of a left and right article of footwear and a second size for the other of the left and right article of footwear; and

custom manufacturing the selected piece of footwear according to the customer's specifications.

4. The method of custom-manufacturing footwear of claim 3, further including the step
- 5 of providing the customer with a choice of colors for selected portions of the footwear.